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5. ☒ A list of 5 reference(s) is in the enclosed Form PTO-1449.

NON-ENGLISH LANGUAGE REFERENCES

☒ Enclosed is a search report for a counterpart application. The search report Examiner has provided comments on the relevancy of any non-English language references cited in the search report.

☐ The specification incorporates comments on the relevancy of Non-English language references.

☐ Set forth below are comments provided by the applicant's home country counsel on the relevancy of non-English language references:

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OTHER DOCUMENTS *(Including Author, Title, Date, Pertinent Pages, Etc.)*

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